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Subject: RE: Update of MD samples

I just heard from Bayer.

They are contracting an independent company to collect the samples (as described below) for us. So there is a delay and we may not get the samples this week

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FYI, update on correspondence between Thuy and Maryland on Permanone.

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Hi Kimberly

Here's an update on the MD Permanone sample

Tom Phillips of MDA got back to me late yesterday, on the collection and handling of the MDA Permanone sample. Basically, the sample collector just dipped a bottle (PFAS free, we gave them the bottle) into the product storage container and collect the sample. There was no pump or equipment used. However, there were gloves used, but he doesn't know what type. So there goes my theory with equipment rinse blank, and we have a change in plan

We will not request another sample with blanks from MDA. Instead, MDA will track down a retain sample from the lot of the sample they sent us. As soon as they find it, they will send us a sample.

I also talked to Bayer. The lot from MDA was produced in February 2019. Bayer no longer has a sample of that lot, but they have samples left from a lot that was produced 9 days after the MDA lot. Bayer told me that the lot that they have, although has a different number, was practically produced the same way as the MDA sample lot (same ingredients, same equipment (troller ??), ... Bayer will expedite the delivery of that sample to us early next week.

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